



ANDREWS INTERNATIONAL HOLLYWOOD/SUNSET BID PATROL

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SUMMARY FOR 01-01-10 THROUGH 01-24-10

This report takes us through 01-24-10. As we begin our forth year providing security for the Hollywood and Sunset BIDs, we continue our strategy for improving the quality of life in the BID areas. This involves enforcement, outreach to the homeless, business, residential community and tourists, and our continued commitment to coordinate our efforts with every agency, public and private, and any individual that shares our goal. To this end, we will continue to attend and host a variety of meetings which include the LAPD, City Attorney's Office, businesses, and a host of Outreach Agencies.

EVENTS OF INTEREST:

On 01-13-10, we were invited to participate in a meeting being hosted by Captains Grimala and Whittingham of the LAPD. The topic was preparedness for the upcoming Academy Awards. The Los Angeles Fire Department, Council Offices, BID, Chamber of Commerce, Citizens Groups, and business owners were represented.

On 01-14-10, new LAPD Chief Beck came to our office for a brief tour. He was accompanied by LAPD Deputy Chief McCarthy, and Captain Grimala. Several of our Board members, including Thad Hunter Smith were also present. I gave a brief presentation about our role in the BID areas.

We saw very heavy rainfall during the week stating on 01-19-10. This hampered our activities somewhat, as it was not possible to utilize our T-3's or bicycles. We saw a large increase in the number of homeless people seeking shelter.

MEETINGS ATTENDED:

- 1) 01-05-10 LAPD Crime Control Meeting.
- 2) 01-07-10, H+H Retail Meeting
- 3) 01-07-10, YMCA Security Issues Meeting
- 4) 01-11-10, BID Retreat
- 5) 01-12-10, SBID Board Meeting
- 6) 01-13-10, LAPD Academy Awards Planning Meeting
- 7) 01-14-10, LAPD Chief at BID Security Office
- 8) 01-21-10, H+H Retail Meeting



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OUTREACH:

On 12-28-09, our Officers found Edward down on the ground and un-responsive. We called Paramedics and unit #827 responded and took Huey to Cedar Sinai hospital.

On 12-29-09, our Officers contacted Nicketa at the CVC Pharmacy located at 1747 Cahuenga. She was advised of the laws regarding trespass and panhandling. We had arrested her in the past for drinking in public. Nicketa said she was two dollars short for buying a bus ticket to return to her home in Oceanside. We then connected her with Get Love who bought her a one way bus ticket.

On 01-03-10, BID Officer Kanagi and her partner Holland contacted Sabrina at Selma and Morningside. Sabrina was homeless and in need of assistance. Our Officers were able to arrange a PATH placement.

On 12-23-09, we received a call regarding an at-risk 14 year old runaway named Kevin. He is bipolar, off his medications, and had a contagious disease. We had originally met Kevin back on 10-16-09 when we found him on the streets and we helped to get him placed at a facility. He promptly ran away.

Our Officers found Kevin on 01-04-10 and turned him over to the LAPD after making arrangements for his appointed guardian to pick him up. Kevin again ran away. We found Kevin again the next day and spent about 5 hours arranging to get him safely back to his placement facility. He is now undergoing much needed medical treatment.

On 01-10-10, we received a call of a man refusing to leave at 6709 Hollywood Blvd. Upon arrival, our Officers spoke to John who was on the ground. He said he was dehydrated. We called Paramedics who transported him to the hospital.

On 01-10-10, our Officers found Cory down on the ground at 6776 Hollywood Blvd. He had possibly suffered an epileptic episode. We called Paramedics who responded and took him to the hospital.

On 01-11-10, our Officers contacted Frank who was blocking the sidewalk at 6100 Selma. They saw that he was suffering from a



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severe skin rash. They referred him to the Sabon Free Clinic for treatment.

On 01-20-10, at 6:30 A.M., our Officers were doing their early morning wake up patrol when they found seven people sleeping outside the Montalban Theater located at 1615 Vine. One was longtime, mentally challenged Carol. We have tried to help her on countless occasions, but she has always refused our help. On this occasion, our Officers saw that her fingers were badly swollen. Many were blue and purple and the Officers feared she may have gangrene. Carol agreed to be transported to the hospital after considerable discussion. This was a first.

We called LAFD and Paramedic RA 827 responded. Unfortunately, they did not transport her. We went to Plan B and called PATH (Courtney Kanagi and Rudy Salinas). They agreed to respond.

At 3:45 P.M., our officers again located Carol at 1637 Vine. We called Courtney who responded. Another team had made contact with a destitute homeless woman named Dawn at the Tommy's Burger on Sunset Blvd. They transported her to Carol's location in hopes that Courtney could help her as well.

Courtney took Carol to the hospital and Dawn to the Winter Shelter. Great team work and dedication by all involved.

Carol was actually eager to receive help and was appreciative of our efforts. We are hopeful that we have started a new relationship with her. She has never responded in this way before. This possibly vindicates our theory of making continual contacts with our most troubled people in hopes that we finally break through.

ENFORCEMENT:

In the Hollywood BID we have made a total of 46 arrests. Twenty one were for drinking in public, 5 for urinating in public, 1 for misdemeanor drugs, 4 for trespass, 4 for illegal vending, 4 for blocking the sidewalk, 1 for theft, 3 for miscellaneous misdemeanors, and 3 for felonies. We also made 72 homeless referrals, assisted 54 agencies, provided extra patrol to 318 locations, assisted 334 citizens, handled 188 radio calls for service and made 285 business contacts.

In the Sunset BID, we have made a total of 16 arrests. Eleven were for drinking in public, 1 for urinating in public, 1 for theft, 1 for



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vandalism and 2 for felonies. We also made 22 homeless referrals, assisted 18 agencies, provided extra patrol to 91 locations, assisted 258 citizens, handled 119 radio calls for service, and made 86 business contacts.

The combined totals for both BIDS are 62 arrests. Thirty two for drinking in public, 6 for urinating in public, 1 for misdemeanor drugs, 4 for trespass, 4 for illegal vending, 4 for blocking the sidewalk, 2 for theft, 1 for vandalism, 3 for miscellaneous misdemeanors and 5 for felonies. We also made a combined total of 94 homeless referrals, assisted 72 agencies, provided extra patrol to 409 locations, assisted 592 citizens, handled 307 radio calls for service, and made 371 business contacts.

For further details see the attached year to date statistics printout.

NOTED ARRESTS:

On 12-29-09, we arrested Duayne for felony theft at the Jack in the Box located at 6407 Sunset Blvd.

On 01-01-10, we arrested Harold for drinking in public at 1810 Cahuenga. We then learned that he had an outstanding warrant from South Carolina for drunk driving.

On 01-01-10, we received a radio call of a theft at the Urban Outfitters located at 1520 Cahuenga. The suspect had fled the scene, but we found Penny at 6801 Hollywood Blvd.

We picked up Stacy from the business and brought her to the suspect who she then identified. We placed Penny under arrest for felony grand theft.

On 01-03-10, we received a call to assist Gap (6801 Hollywood Blvd.) Security Officers who were in foot pursuit of a theft suspect. They caught the suspect at Hollywood and Las Palmas. The suspect then pulled out a pair of scissors and threatened to stab the Officers. They then backed off and called BID Security.

Our Officers arrived and placed the suspect under arrest. The suspect resisted by striking, clawing, and biting our Officers. The suspect was subdued without being injured. Our Officers received scratches and a bite that did not break the skin. The suspect was a transgender who



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claimed to be named Alexis. We later learned that the real name is Justin Hatcher. The suspect was charged with robbery. Our Officers went to Court on this case on 01-22-10. The suspect pled guilty.

On 01-03-10, our Officers saw Richard walking across Cahuenga at Yucca against the traffic light. He was almost struck by a car. Richard then lay down in a planter and began urinating in public. Our Officers arrested him. He fought furiously, but was taken into custody without injury. Our Officers received scratches, a torn shirt, and were spit upon by the suspect. We later learned that the suspect had \$175,000.00 in outstanding warrants.

On 01-07-10, we arrested Karl for drinking in public in the 7000 block of Hawthorn. We then learned that he had an outstanding no bail felony warrant. We later learned that he was a sex offender that had failed to register.

DEPLOYMENT:

During this period we continued our 6:00 A.M to 8:00 P.M. coverage. Our patrol included vehicle, foot, T-3's and bicycles.

TRAINING UPDATE:

During this period, our Officers received training in report writing and legal update. We also spent time fine tuning our policy for use of the Taser which we hope to bring on line in the near future. We are planning an extensive training program for our Officers.



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